STAND. COM. REP. NO. 1210

Honolulu, Hawaii

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RE: S.C.R. No. 65

Honorable Donna Mercado Kim President of the Senate Twenty-Eighth State Legislature Regular Session of 2015 State of Hawaii

Madam:

Your Committees on Transportation and Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, to which was referred S.C.R. No. 65 entitled:

"SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE HONOLULU AUTHORITY FOR RAPID TRANSPORTATION TO INCORPORATE A BUS RAPID TRANSIT SYSTEM INTO ITS RAIL TRANSIT PLANNING TO CONNECT CERTAIN PARTS OF OAHU WITH THE RAIL TRANSIT SYSTEM,"

beg leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to urge the Honolulu Authority for Rapid Transportation to incorporate bus rapid transit into its rail transit planning, particularly with connections between the Leeward Coast and East Kapolei, Kaneohe and Downtown Honolulu, and Wahiawa and Pearl Highlands.

Your Committees received testimony in support of this measure from the Honolulu Authority for Rapid Transportation and one individual.

Your Committees find that the Honolulu Authority for Rapid Transportation needs to consider incorporating bus rapid transit into its rail transit planning, particularly with connections between the Leeward Coast and East Kapolei, Kaneohe and Downtown Honolulu, and Wahiawa and Pearl Highlands. Bus rapid transit is an innovative, high capacity, low cost public transit solution that can significantly improve mobility.

As affirmed by the records of votes of the members of your Committees on Transportation and Public Safety, Intergovernmental

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and Military Affairs that are attached to this report, your Committees concur with the intent and purpose of S.C.R. No. 65 and recommend that it be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committees on Transportation and Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs,

WILL ESPERO, Chair

CLARENCE K. NISHIHARA, Chair

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NISHIHARA, Clarence K. (C)							
HARIMOTO, Breene (VC)							
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M.		,			/		
ENGLISH, J. Kalani							
ESPERO, Will							
INOUYE, Lorraine R.							
KIDANI, Michelle N.		\					
KOUCHI, Ronald D.							
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BAKER, Rosalyn H. (VC)							
GALUTERIA, Brickwood							
KEITH-AGARAN, Gilbert S.C.							
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